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Application No. 09/696,071

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In re the Application of

James N. CAWSE

Group Art Unit: 1631

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**REQUEST TO ISSUE PATENT TO ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.81(b)**

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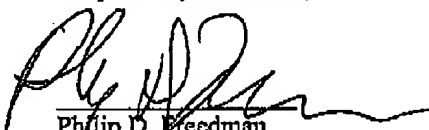
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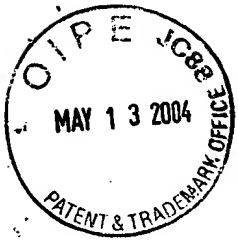
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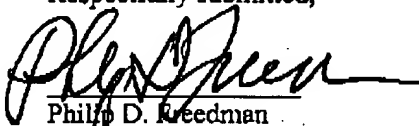
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